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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Shoji MORITA  
Title: OIL FILTER  
Appl. No.: 10/618,584  
Filing Date: 7/15/2003  
Examiner: Joseph W. DRODGE  
Art Unit: 1723  
Confirmation Number: 6886

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

☐ Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.

☒ The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

|                        | Claims<br>As<br>Amended |   | Previously<br>Paid For |   | Extra<br>Claims<br>Present |   | Rate     |   | Additional<br>Claims Fee |
|------------------------|-------------------------|---|------------------------|---|----------------------------|---|----------|---|--------------------------|
| Total Claims:          | 12                      | - | 20                     | = | 0                          | x | \$50.00  | = | \$0.00                   |
| Independent<br>Claims: | 1                       | - | 3                      | = | 0                          | x | \$200.00 | = | \$0.00                   |